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Language: Italian Century: 15th

Part 1: ff. 1-61

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Text 1: ff. 1r-61v

Title: Devotional miscellany Language(s): Italian

Notes: Collection of miracle stories and lives of the saints told in the style of contemporary novels, with the intention of making the average reader realize the punishment for sinful actions and the reward for virtuous life. Includes paraphrases of miraculous stories and legends of the Virgin and of the saints. Many of the latter category are based on early Christian literature, such as the Lives of the Fathers, which in many cases are cited as the source

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